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Flour Mills

1. The Chervena Zvezda (Red Star) Flour Mill is located in the Poduene Quarter of Sofia near the railroad station. It has 12 rollers and is capable of grinding 60 to 70 tons of grain per day. During the peak season, 65 or 70 workers are employed.
2. The Nadezhda Flour Mill is located in the Nadezhda Quarter of Sofia, at the end of Streetcar Line No. 6. The mill has eight rollers, grinds 35 to 40 tons of grain per day, and employs about 55 workers. The director is Pavel Aleksiev.
3. The 9 September (formerly Torusian Brothers) Flour Mill is located on Babakula Street in Vidin. It employs about 100 workers. The director is Marin Stefanov. Onik Torusian, former owner of the mill, is employed as a technician.

Thermoelectric Plant

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4. During 1951-1952, the power capabilities of the old thermoelectric plant in Mezdra were increased. [redacted] no details concerning the plant, except that it furnishes power to Vidin because the old thermoelectric plant in Vidin was unable to meet the needs of the city.

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